## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

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## BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

| | *Average for the past five years of the corresponding year.* | *Current.* | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) | 7·13 | 7·19 | Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas. |
| Ragi ... | 14·44 | 16·50 | |
| Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ... | | 7·19 | |

*Agricultural operations.*—Fields are being ploughed.

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and manuring operations are in progress in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Magadi, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Gingelly is being sown in parts of Hoskote, Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks. Haraka is being sown in parts of Anekal Taluk. Vaishakhi paddy is being harvested in parts of Anekal Taluk.

*State of standing crops.*—Vaisakhi paddy, sugar-cane and nati ragi are in a fair condition.

*Outturn of the harvested crops.*—Vaisakhi paddy from 8 to 12 annas.

*Damages to crops.*—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in certain parts of Anekal Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in ploughing the fields throughout the district.

*Crops harvested.*—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta Taluks—yield about 8 to 12 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane and paddy crops are reported to be in good condition. However more rain is required.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food grains remain stationery. Labour is available to cooly classes.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

## TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Til in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Gubbi Taluks and Koratagere, and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; cholum in parts of Tumkur and Sira Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; haraka in parts of Tumkur and Sira Taluks; green gram in parts of Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur Taluks; black gram in parts of Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur Taluks; baje in parts of Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Tumkur Taluk—Paddy and sugar-cane; Maddagiri Taluk—paddy; Chiknayakanhalli Taluk—paddy; Sira Taluk—paddy; Gubbi Taluk—sugar-cane and paddy; Kunigal Taluk—sugar-cane; Koratagere Sub-Taluk—paddy.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, green and black gram, cholum and baje are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## MYSORE.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the taluks of Yedatore, Malvalli and Krishnarajpete.

*Crops sown.*—paddy in parts of Chamrajnagar and T.-Narsipur Taluks; haraka in parts of Malvalli Taluk; ragi, castor and togari in parts of Yedatore and Krishnarajpete Taluks and sugar-cane, cholum and til in parts of Nagamangala Taluk.

*State of standing crops.*—Cholum, ragi, togari, til, castor, tadagani and black gram, horse gram, navane, sugar-cane, paddy, cotton, mulberry, green gram are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Nagamangala Taluk—kar paddy and sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the taluks of Chamrajnagar, Nanjangud; and small-pox in parts of the Mandya Taluk.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in parts of the Mandya Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## HASSAN.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Gid ragi, avare, togari, castor and til in Arkalgud Taluk; kar paddy, ragi and sugar-cane in Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks; sugar-cane in Hole-Narsipur and Belur Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy and sugar-cane under tanks in Gandasi hobli of Arsikere Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops sown.*—Cholum, paddy, ragi, til, chillies, in the Belur Taluk; cholam, til, chillies, black and green grams in Arsikere Taluk; paddy and ragi in Alur Sub-Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available. There has been very good rain throughout the district.

11. Public health is generally good. But plague is reported to prevail in Mosale village of Hassan Taluk and in Halkur and Hirisadarahalli villages of Arsikere Taluk.

12. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are generally healthy, except for the prevalence of "Doda roga" in Bandikere village of Arsikere Taluk and for "Metrikattu" (throat disease) in Hirikote, Chikote, Hunasekere villages of Belur Taluk.

## SHIMOGA.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured in the taluks of Channagiri and Sorab. Paddy is being sown in the Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, green gram in the Honnali Taluk and ragi in the Shikarpur Taluk are being sown.

*Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab and Sagar and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and Vaisakhi paddy in the Sagar Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are good and food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for ague in Channagiri Taluk and for plague in the taluks of Honnali and Sorab and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

12. Fodder and water are available, except for Rinderpest in parts of Channagiri and Sorab Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, cattle are generally healthy.

KADUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks.

*Crops sown.*—Chikmagalur Taluk—paddy; Kadur Taluk—cholum, tadagani, black and green grams; Tarikere Taluk—paddy and gingelly; Koppa Taluk—paddy; Mudgere Taluk—paddy and ragi; Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—paddy.

*Standing crops.*—Chikmagalur Taluk—kode paddy and sugar-cane; Kadur Taluk—sugar-cane; Tarikere Taluk—sugar-cane; Koppa Taluk—kode paddy, sugar-cane and pepper; Mudgere Taluk—kode paddy and sugar-cane. All these crops are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in Lakkavalli of the Tarikere Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. 'Dodda roga' is reported to prevail among cattle in parts of Kadur and Koppa Taluks and on the decrease in Kadabinabyle village of the Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk and 'foot and mouth' disease is reported to prevail among cattle in Narasimharajapura town and Balagadi of the Koppa Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*—Paddy, cotton, sugar-cane and ragi are reported to be in fair condition.

*Seeds sown.*—Cholam, til, togari, castor, black gram, cotton, green gram and paddy were sown during the week.

*Crops harvested.*—Hiriyur Taluk—paddy and cotton, 8 annas; Challakere Taluk—paddy, 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. 'Rinderpest' is reported to prevail in a few villages of the taluks of Hosdurga, Holalkere, Davangere and Jagalur. Water and fodder are available.

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